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FOR SALE.—A NURSERY BUSINESS. Good chance for a practical man. Apply at Nursery, corner of Queen's Avenue and Cedar Hill road. aug31 1m

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MRS. McGREGOR, MIDWIFE, Diploma and highest testimonials of proficiency from the University of Edinburgh. Calls promptly attended to. Residence, corner of Douglas and Cormorant street over Bonnell's grocery store. m.e13

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IN NEW WESTMINSTER for sale. Six Bedrooms, well furnished, Dining Room and Furniture, Kitchen, with Range, Cooking Utensils and Table Ware. Price $1200. Reasons for selling, old age and being unable to attend to the business. Address W., HERALD office, Vancouver. july10

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P. LAVIN, Proprietor.
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TO RENT—A SMALL TENEMENT. The Furniture which has only been in use a short time, will be sold at a bargain. Apply to Mrs. Corson, View street, 4th door above Cook, or to Mr. Corson, Victoria Boot and Shoe Manufactory. aug28 1m

Meetings to be Held.

ST. ANDREWS AND CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep 1-1y W. H. MASON, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMperance Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. OF VICTORIA MEETS every third Monday in each month at Temperance Hall, on Pandora st., at 7.30 p. m. A good programme and sociable time at every meeting. Strangers cordially invited. nov-t

Personal.

INFORMATION is wanted as to the whereabouts of Mr. PATRICK KING, who when last heard from was in the employ of the C. P. R. at Port Moody in the capacity of Bridge Carpenter. Some 18 or 19 months ago a rumor reached his friends in New York State that he, with a number of other workmen, were quarantined for small pox at Port Moody. He was formerly a resident of Brockport, Monroe County, New York. Since that time, 18 or 20 months since, his friends have received no tidings from him. Any person knowing anything of his whereabouts will relieve a widowed mother's anxiety for an absent son by communicating such information to the TIMES office, Victoria, or to R. McDONALD, Tonawanda, New York State, U. S. july5

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Frank G. Richards, Jr., Lessee.

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Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between Joseph Mason and John Daly, carrying on business in Barkerville, under the firm name of Mason & Daly, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. Joseph Mason assumes all the liabilities of the late firm, and is authorized to, and will receive all the assets and credits thereof.

Dated, the 11th September 1886.

JOSEPH MASON.
JOHN DALY.

Witnessed by CHARLES WILSON, Solicitor, Victoria B. C. sept 11-1m

Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend making application at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, on the 15th inst., for a License for selling Wines, Liquors, etc., by retail at the Clarence Hotel, corner Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria.

F. J. RICHARDS, Jr.

September 1, 1886. sept1 td

Notice.

I hereby notify the public that I have commenced proceedings in the Supreme Court against E. B. MARVIN for the recovery of Victoria City lots No. 2419 and 614 which now stand registered in the name of E. B. MARVIN.

Victoria Sept 11th 1886.

sept 11-1w J. R. ADAMS.

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS will be received until Thursday noon, the 15th inst., for building an addition to Smith's Bakery on Fort street. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office, Fort street, between Blanchard and Quadra streets.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

P. R. LONOVAN,
sep 10 td Architect.

THE SEIZURE OUTRAGE.

Immediate Action for Redress Urged by the Eastern Press.

A Definition of the Territory Given—American Contention Untenable.

The Hon Peter Mitchell, ex-minister of Marine and Fisheries in a lengthy article in the Montreal *Herald* of the 3rd inst., discussing the seizure of the Victoria vessels in Behring's Sea says: * * * The Americans admit that a Canadian vessel was seized at a distance of 125 miles from land, and they claim that no matter how far from land seals may be taken in this quarter of the globe they are on their way to the breeding grounds in American territory and are therefore American property.

A DEFINITION OF THE TERRITORY.

In 1825 a conference was held at St. Petersburg, at which a definition of the limits of Russian and British territory on the North Pacific was arrived at. Free passage of the rivers that led from the sea or the interior to either power's territory was guaranteed for ever, the right to land for repairs or stress of weather was given, and for ten years the rights in common of fishing and trading in any of the havens, gulfs and creeks of either territory was provided for. There was no question as to the meaning of gulfs, bays and creeks; for ten years they were open and after that the right to fish in them ceased. In course of time the United States purchased from Russia whatever Russia had to sell of the North American continent, but in the deed of conveyance of the property the metes and bounds mentioned, which include a large strip of the North Pacific Ocean, do not agree with the language of the convention between England and Russia. There is nothing in the convention signifying England's assent to any claim on the part of Russia to any of the Sea of Kamschatka; or the Behring Sea, as it is sometimes called; other than that recognized by international right there is no consent of England to Russia's taking the exclusive right of catching seals east of Attou Island, or to warrant her claiming a part of the ocean, that is neither gulf, bay nor harbor, of five or six hundred miles wide. England might as well claim from the open sea from Newfoundland to the Irish coast. This claim is a plant of American growth. If Russia had made such a claim it would have been dealt with at the convention, and of course would not have been allowed.

THE DUTY OF THE GOVERNMENT

adds the *Herald*, in the matter of this North Pacific seizure is very clear. A protest against the seizure should at once be entered, if that has not already been done, and the claim of the United States repudiated. Canada has seal breeding places close by Alaskan territory; these seals are migratory, according to the season, and if the place where the seals are born determines the ownership, as the Americans claim when that argument suits them, then numbers of the seals in the Behring Sea belong to Canada. But such a claim is palpably absurd and trumped up, only to give the Alaska Sealing Company rights which they do not possess and which no other country but the United States would claim. The seals belong where they are found. If the United States are allowed to advance such a claim without its being controverted at once, they will build upon it as they do upon everything they consider an admission in the case of the Atlantic fisheries. They have San Juan and some other small islands in the Straits of Georgia, which England permitted a European monarch to give to them, and if unusual and untenable claims are admitted in one place it will be hard to resist them in another. The United States have certain rights in those seas, and considering the peculiar nature of seal breeding and hunting a liberal construction should be put on all understandings where that is necessary to protect legitimate traders from unlicensed poachers or to guard the fisheries. But Canada owns a large portion of that coast north of the Columbia river; has bordering on the Pacific coast one of her most promising provinces, and cannot consent to fancy interpretations of treaties or to the conveyance of the ocean by Russia to the United States or to any one else. The intention of Russia to depart altogether from North America invested in her no right to sell what did not belong to her.

CALLS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION.

The *Herald* closes its article by saying: What a commentary on the rapacity of the New England fishermen in this Alaska claim; and how absurd and illogical throughout is the position the U. S. have attempted to occupy. It is illegal, they say, for Canadians to fish in any United States bay however wide; to wit: the Delaware Bay, the Chesapeake Bay, and many others. It is illegal to fish in the Gulf of Mexico within lines drawn from the southern point of Florida to the mouths of the Mississippi, three to four hundred miles across; it is illegal to fish within twelve miles or more as may be determined when required off the coast of Florida; it is illegal to catch seals in that part of the Pacific Ocean known as the sea of Kamschatka, although it is only partially bounded by the United States territory and is open sea, but it is not illegal they pretend but strictly proper for Americans to fish in all the bays, gulfs and river mouths of Canada or anywhere along the Atlantic coast at three miles distant from the shore, although by treaty of 1818 they renounced this right, and it is, they say, an outrage on the part of the Canadians to attempt to prevent their fishermen doing this, or to attempt to put the customs laws in force against them. The United States is a great nation, and requires a great deal of watching. This North Pacific matter calls for immediate action and action of a different kind from the wretched humbug that all summer has been called "protecting our fisheries."

THE FISHERY QUESTION TRANSFERRED.

St. John, New Brunswick, *Telegraph*: We are not told whether they (the vessels) were at the time within three miles of the coast of Alaska, though probably such will be the contention. Another question is whether the general law of nations applies to the case, or whether it is the law of nations as qualified by treaty, and if the latter, whether the treaty of 1825 between England and Russia, regarding the coast waters of Alaska would or would not apply. As is well known Alaska was only acquired by the United States by purchase from Russia in 1867. By the first article of the treaty of 1825 between England and Russia it is agreed that "the respective subjects of the high contracting parties shall not be troubled or molested in any part of the ocean, commonly called the Pacific ocean, either in navigating the same or fishing therein, or in landing at such part of the coast as shall have already been occupied, in order to trade with the natives," under certain restrictions and conditions specified. Another question is whether the American government is bound by the stipulations of the treaty referred to which existed at the time of the purchase. These seizures transfer the fishery question to the Pacific, greatly widen the bounds of the international controversy, and add to the urgency of the call for a decisive settlement.

A PREPOSTEROUS CLAIM.

Ottawa *Evening Journal*: The American officials in seizing the Canadian vessels engaged in catching seals in Behring Sea, have asserted claims far beyond that of any other nation. * * * The New York *Sun* in discussing the subject says: "The treaty conveyed to the United States dominion over nearly all of the ocean north of the Aleutian Islands. The boundary line as drawn on the map in accordance with the demarcation of the treaty runs southwest from Behring Straits down along the Siberian and Kamtchatkan coast, including a vast body of water considerably larger than the Mediterranean Sea, and between twice and thrice as big as the Gulf of Mexico."

It will be impossible to permit the United States to maintain such a preposterous claim, which doubtless before this has been vigorously challenged. It is a wonder that our neighbors, while formulating their demand, did not at once include the whole Pacific Ocean. There would be about as much sense in doing so as in preferring a right to control a sea "between twice and thrice as big as the Gulf of Mexico." The presumption of our southern neighbors is certainly unlimited. On the one hand, we have their Government insisting in fishing within three miles of the coasts of the Dominion, and their statesmen, of the Blaine type, violently threatening that if their demands in this respect are not complied with, they will summarily obliterate our existence. Then turning their eyes westward, they grasp a whole ocean and maintain that they have entire jurisdiction over it to control as they think best. The question which the Americans have opened by the seizure of the vessels in Behrings Sea is as important to other nations as to England and Canada. The challenge is thrown down to all, and is equally interesting to every country having vessels on the ocean. That it will be maintained cannot for a moment be believed.

OUTSIDE IMPRESSIONS.

What a Montreal Clergyman Has to Say of Victoria and Vicinity.

The Rev. Louis H. Jordan, B. D., pastor of the Erskine Church, Montreal, it appears paid a visit to this city, and on his return to the east, to a reporter of the *Gazette* gave his impressions of Victoria, which he said were "not wholly favorable, I must confess. It is a city of wealth, and with the terminal advantages which it possesses (both American and Canadian) it should be a second San Francisco. Judging, however, from what I saw, I think that day is a good way off yet. I fear that the common record of Victoria in the west, like that of Halifax at the extreme east of the Canadian Pacific railway, is not wholly incorrect; it is inclined to take things too easy, and so it often lets its opportunity slip. It remains again to be seen whether, in the present crisis in its history, it will act with adequate promptness and foresight. But there is one good thing which I am glad to be able to say about Victoria, and that is that in the Driard it has one of the finest hotels on the Pacific coast. The building has just been enlarged to about twice its original size, and all who now arrange to stay for a day or two beneath its wide spreading roof may count upon receiving the best of entertainment.

THE DRY DOCK.

On being asked the question if we visited the dry dock, he replied: "I did, and found it to be rapidly approaching completion. It will probably be ready to receive ships requiring repairs as soon as the new year opens. It is certain, however, that the Victorians have erred in not constructing a dock of greater capacity. Its length (I was informed) is about 450 feet, whereas it should be 600 feet. Unless the present structure is speedily enlarged, a considerable amount of business and not a little revenue will have to be surrendered to San Francisco."

DEPLORABLE IGNORANCE.

The London editors as a unit are very ignorant of Canadian affairs. The London *Canadian Gazette* in its issue of the 26th August, thus dresses down the *Pall Mall Gazette*. Among the leading London journals there are few that show editorially a greater sympathy with Colonial feelings and aspirations than the *Pall Mall Gazette*. And yet every now and again we are reminded that even in this authoritative quarter an accurate knowledge of the geography of the Colonies is not too generally diffused. Only a few weeks since the Canadian Pacific Railway was represented by the *Gazette* as a route running, if not due north, certainly due north-north-west, in a straight line from the St. Lawrence, and now we are led to infer by a recent issue that the confederation of Canada has never come into being so far as British Columbia is concerned. The idea of the sub-editor would, indeed, seem to be, when he speaks of Sir John Macdonald's "return to Canada" recently, not only that British Columbia is a country quite distinct from Canada, but also that Canadian territory does not even extend so far west as Regina. London editors would spare themselves much trouble and Colonists some considerable annoyance, were they to make it a practice to keep continually before them one of the many excellent maps of the Dominion which may now be had for the asking.

VANCOUVER SCOTCHMEN.

The Vancouver Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society held its inaugural meeting on Friday night and elected the following officers: Mayor MacLean, president; William Brown, vice-president; M. Picken, secretary; M. G. MacLean, assistant secretary; Andrew C. Mair, treasurer; Dr. Hendrickson, physician; William Urquhart, piper; Angus McInerney, warden. Directors: James McArthur, Gideon Robertson, C. C. Ralston, Thomas Dunn, Finley McLennan, Richard H. Alexander, Archibald Murrry, J. C. Douglas, J. M. Stewart and Alexander Johnston. Thomas Russell, of Victoria, will install the officers at the next meeting which will convene some time next week.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

A CAPITAL SUGGESTION.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Although the large sum of money asked by the City Council to be expended on Beacon Hill Park has been refused by the property holders of Victoria, there is no reason why something should not be done by private enterprise, in the way of beautifying that popular resort. I have heard more than one person suggest that a statue to the late Sir James Douglas, placed in some prominent position on the hill, would not only be a much needed embellishment, but a well-deserved tribute to a man, whose memory, above all others, should be dear to the people of this city. I have also been told that one of our fellow-citizens, Mr. Keller, is prepared to take a contract to make such a statue, of the same size as the bronze statue of General Garfield in the Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, which cost $30,000, with a similar pedestal, of cement, as durable as marble, and bronzed, for the comparatively small sum of $5,000. Mr. Keller guarantees a perfect likeness and satisfaction. Surely in a city of this size some person of influence can be found with sufficient public spirit to start a subscription with this object in view. The numerous descendants and connections of the late Sir James Douglas would, no doubt, contribute generously, and there are many citizens of wealth and position who remember the late governor with gratitude and affection, and who, I am sure, would be quite willing to give their countenance and support to such a project. CITIZEN.

GOVERNMENT FAVORITISM.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—During the month of July the government, through its agent, (Mr. J. Clapperton) called for tenders for a bridge to be built across the Nicola river, near its mouth. Said bridge was to be of two spans, of 65 and 45 feet respectively, with a pier in the centre of the river. Plans and specifications were drawn by Mr. Lee, of Kamloops, civil engineer and government surveyor. The different tenders were sent in, varying from $650 to $1,500—the subscriber being interested in one of the higher ones. As a matter of course the job was let to the lowest, $650. On Saturday, September the 4th, the bridge was declared finished by the contractor and the local government agent. Your correspondent hearing that the work was not done according to specifications, but was altered according to orders given by the government agent, in the size of the bridge as well as the locality, went to the place to satisfy himself about it. The way, as he found it, was this: The bridge is only 66 feet long, in stringers, instead of 110 feet, with one span of 44 feet, without centre pier; built farther up the river than the plans called for. In a few words, he found only one half of what he and the other parties had figured on. Now, Mr. Editor, I ask in the name of any right and just thinking man, is this fair play? If the government saw fit to change those plans, in order to get the work done cheaper, why didn't the local agent call for new tenders, instead of playing such a underhanded game, and this on men who have been good and faithful citizens of this country for many years. If this is the way the present government and its pets are allowed to go on, hoodwinking at people, then it is about time that a change should take place and men be put in office who will deal honestly with the people and their money. You, Mr. Editor, have been advocating this change in your valuable paper, and I, and a good many others hope, that it will soon take place, and all such shady work as above mentioned be put a stop to. JUSTITIA.

Nicola Lake, Sept. 7th, 1886.

FOOD FOR BABES.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Some of your readers are deeply interested in babes. Indeed I think if you were to show a little more regard in this direction The Times would even be more popular. Many think that we are all evolved from babes; others that we are only babes of a larger growth. However these questions may be, one thing is generally believed, namely, that in order that babes may grow, or live, they must have food, an idea which is ignored by a class of human parasites who essay to manufacture "infant food." My object therefore, is to warn the public that analysts employed by the Inland Revenue Department have condemned the following brands, viz: "Nestles" "Bidges," "Royal," "Mellins," "Papoma," "Neaves," "Cardinal," and some others. The details are rather lengthy for your columns, but I give a specimen or two: Of "Nestles," in common use here, one analyst says of a sample: "thirty-five per cent of starch." Another analyst reports "48.5 per cent cellulose, starch and insoluble albuminoids." As the infant cannot digest any of these things nothing further need be said. Of Bidge's "food" the first report says: "Shows a large proportion of wheat flour partially cooked." No use to an infant. Of Royal "food" one sample gave "78 per cent. of starch." Royal food indeed! "Papoma" 70 to 80 per cent. of starch. "Neaves:" "I am of the opinion" says one analyst "the sample is powdered biscuits." "Mellins" gave a better showing, as the starch was converted into dextrine but it was deficient otherwise. I am indebted for the foregoing to a report in Dr. Playter's journal, "Man" and an article in the Ottawa *Free Press*, by Dr. Logan of that city. The country is flooded with the advertisements of these shams. Not content with cultivating the ever fertile field of credulity occupied by the mass of the adult population the sacred precincts of the nursery are thus wounded by the assassin.

E. STEVENSON, M. D.

Victoria, Sept. 11, 1886.

THE ALBERNI SETTLEMENT.

Mr. W. Halpenny, government guide, returned on Saturday from Alberni, where he located another settler. The settlement is rejoicing in the construction of a new road, which will afford access for waggons to almost every man's ranch. Last year there were 114 locations taken up, which has been increased this season by ten, which makes a total of 124 farms now occupied. The pioneers are contented and hopeful. Although this is but the second crop, the product of the fields has been up to every expectation. The principal sources of revenue to the farmer thus far have been potatoes and hogs—the former being sold to the Indians and new comers at good prices and the latter being shipped to Victoria. Hogs live in the woods and forage for themselves. One farmer marketed $700 worth in Victoria in one season, the cost of production being comparatively small.

NEWS BY CABLE.

AUSTRIA AND RUSSIA.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—It is rumored that although the Emperor Francis Joseph is at Prizimijel, in Galicia, and the Czar at Brest, Poland, not more than 250 kilometers apart, neither has given any sign of desire or intention of meeting the other or receiving greetings even by deputy. The *Free Press* of Vienna complains of the Czar's breach of courtesy toward Austria. It says that it is noteworthy that Russian military manœuvers are taking place at the precise corner of the Russian dominions which would be the principal theatre of war in the event of a Russian conflict with Austria. Francis Joseph is at the same time reviewing an equal number of Austrian troops, the total being over sixty thousand men at a point which would naturally be chosen as the Austrian base of operation in the same event. Thus we see, says the *Free Press*, two rival camps, and the two rival courts almost within signal of each other.

LEE WINS A SCULLING RACE.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The sculling match between Geo. W. Lee, of New Jersey, and Matterson, the Australian oarsman, took place to-day on the Thames championship course, and was won by Lee.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The wind was light and the tide fast. Only a few spectators witnessed the race. Betting before the start was seven to four in favor of Matterson. The men got away on even terms each rowing forty strokes per minute. Matterson gradually crept ahead and led by half a length at the Creek. Lee however increased his exertions and drew on a level with his opponent and at Craven Cottage Steps when Walters was reached Lee had a lead of one length. A desperate struggle followed, both men still rowing forty strokes per minute. Matterson was again even with Lee at Crabtree and led by half a length at Hammersmith Bridge. Lee then spurted again and regained his lead; when Matterson stopped totally exhausted. His time to Hammersmith was 8 minutes 42 seconds ten seconds better than previous records.

NAVAL ACTIVITY.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Great excitement has been caused at Chatham by the unexpected receipt of urgent orders from the Admiralty to expedite the completion of men-of-war. Relays of workmen are to be employed day and night if necessary. This activity is regarded as indicating a possible continental complication.

THE PLEASURES OF ROYALTY.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Elaborate precautions were taken to protect the Czar during his journey to Poland to witness the army manœuvers. Soldiers armed with loaded rifles lined the way. The train was divided into three sections. When passing stations the windows were closed and blinds drawn down in order to prevent the discovery of the carriage occupied by the Czar. After the manœuvers the Czar will go to Spalsa, Poland, when similar precautions will be taken for his protection. 50,000 soldiers are utilized for this service.

EUROPEAN FISHING COMPLICATION.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—The French authorities at Havre have just seized eleven fishing boats for an infringing of the International Maritime and Fisheries laws in the Channel. *Le Paris* says the boats were seized in reprisal for the recent arrest by the British authorities of French fishing boats off Folkestone on the other side of the Channel.

WHAT WILL THEY DO?

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Jas. Round, member of Parliament, Conservative, for Harwich, has given notice of his intention to call the attention of the government and House of Commons to the seizure by French authorities at Havre of the English fishing vessels.

PRINCE ALEXANDER.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Nothing is known in official circles in regard to Prince Alexander's visit to England. The Prince will remain at Jugenheim for the present, his health being shattered.

THE NEW MOTOR.

DOVER, Sept. 13.—The yacht Volta, propelled by electricity, started hence accross the Channel to Calais on her trial trip to-day. When last seen from shore she was six miles out and was doing well.

THE HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The new American church, Holy Trinity, in Paris, was opened yesterday. Twelve hundred persons attended the morning service.

CRICKET.

In the Cricket match on Saturday between the Married and Single sides, the Single men defeated the Married men by a score of 64 to 36. The best individual score on the side of the Single men was made by Captain Rose, viz: 22, and on the Married side by Mr. Snowden, 16. The following is the score:

MARRIED.

Crossdaile, l. b. w., b. Sinclair	0
Gospel, b. Bovill	4
Palmer b. Bovill	2
Irving, c. and b. Bovill	2
Pooley, b. Sinclair	2
Snowden, not out	6
Eberts, b. Bovill	4
Hancock, b. Sinclair	4
Howard, b. Sinclair	0
Rhodes, b. Sinclair	0
Wootton, b. Sinclair	2
Byes	2
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SINGLE.

Sinclair, b. Eberts	3
Fisherbert, b. Eberts	1
Wylde, c. Snowden, b. Pooley	3
Grafton, b. Pooley	1
Captain Rose, st. Eberts	22
Bovill b. Palmer, b. Eberts	0
Martin, b. Eberts	1
Hett, b. Eberts	4
Drake, b. Pooley	0
Scriven, not out	1
Bennett, b. Eberts	2
Byes, 3; Leg Byes, 2	5
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AN OLD OFFENDER.

Ah Jim, a Chinaman, who lives by supplying Indians with a horrible compound, called by the court "Chinese whiskey" for want of the proper name, was arrested by Officer Smith on State street on Friday night when in the act of handing an Indian three bottles. The Indian had one bottle in his possession and the Chinaman two, and the latter were immediately broken against the stones to destroy the evidence of his guilt. It transpired that Ah Jim was an old offender having recently served two months for a similar offence. Mr. Johnson increased the penalty and sent him to gaol for three months in lieu of a fine of $50.

FRENCH-CANADIANS RETURNING.

MONTREAL, Sept. 13.—Negotiations have just been concluded here with the governor of this province and the Montreal Colonization Society at the head of which is Archbishop Fabre, by Dr. Johnson Capaline, of Lawrence, and Camille Roussea, merchant of Lowell, Mass., who were duly appointed delegates by 105 heads of French-Canadian familes in those towns and neighboring cities, to make arrangements for their return to this province. These French-Canadians wish to return to Canada and settle on land in their native province, as many others have already done. The contract has been entered into by delegates by which 50,000 acres of land in La Lievre and La Souge valleys, in the Ottawa district have been secured for the settlement of the families whose intention it is to come when the clearing of the land and the building of houses is complete, a special fund having been subscribed for these purposes. They will come in an organized body and take possession, provided with implements to till the land. Many have already learned through the exertion of Father Labelle who has been a pioneer in colonizing the district in question, which is of a great extent. Those who have come have been very successful, being more progressive in their ideas than before they left their native province. The movement is expected to begin an extensive re-expatriation of the French element.

THE THREE-MILE LIMIT.

To The Editor of the Times:

Sir,—It will be noted that during the late war in the United States, in the matter of the fight off Cherbourg, between the Federal war ship the Kearsage and the Confederate, the Alabama, in which after an engagement of an hour, the Confederate vessel was sunk by her antagonist, that before the fight the French Minister, Drouyn del'Huys, notified both parties that the action must not take place within French waters, defining those waters to extend from the shore to the distance of range attained by modern artillery, say eight or ten miles. Notwithstanding, the "Alabama" coming out of the port of Cherbourg commenced firing when out three miles, and was sunk within five miles of shore. The action was maintained on concentric circles, the greatest diameter of which was not more than two miles. Casualties on board the Kearsage, three seamen wounded, and the point of the greatest distance from shore not more than six miles. Mr. Seward promptly protested against the position assumed by M. Drouyn del'Huys as to the dominion of the high seas; he didn't see it. SCRUTATOR.

FOR WHOSE BENEFIT.

To The Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Can you inform your numerous readers for whose benefit is the concert to be given by Professor Sorge? Is it to swell his own pockets or are the proceeds to be given to some charity? If for the former purpose, I should like to know what he has done that he expects the people of Victoria to patronize a concert for the object of placing money in his pockets, when he gets so well paid for all the work he does, and never does anything for nothing for other people. QUERIST.

A SLEEPY PLACE.

Mr. F. Faithful Begg, of Edinburgh, Scotland, has reached Montreal on his way back to Scotland, after having made a tour of the American continent. He travelled over the Canadian Pacific to this city. Of the scenery in the mountains he says that there is finer scenery along the line of the C. P. R. than is to be seen in Switzerland. From the door of the hotel of the Banff Springs he counted eleven magnificent peaks—the tops of mountains surrounding the valley as an amphitheatre. It is exceedingly fortunate that the government has decided to appropriate a large portion of the country in the vicinity of the springs as a National Park, as otherwise the best could not be made of the beauties of the place. Under the superintendance of Mr. Stewart, who has gone heart and soul into the work, drives are being laid out in all directions, and provision made for ornamental water." On being asked the question, "What is your opinion of British Columbia?" he replied: "British Columbia impressed me as being a sleepy place, and I believe it would be greatly benefitted by an importation of enterprise and energy from Eastern Canada." Eastern energy and enterprise is now coming in; we shall see what it will amount to, and duly chronicle the result.

ROCK BAY SCHOOL.

This morning another new school was opened in the city, rendered necessary by the rapid increase in our school population. The Rock Bay section of the city has been building up rapidly of late. The government decided to erect a new school there for the accommodation of the school children. The building is a neat and commodious one, costing in the neighborhood of $1,500. This morning Dr. Milne and Mr. H. F. Heisterman, Trustees, were present, and opened the new school. Miss Forrest is the teacher. The number of pupils already in attendance was 46, a number which, no doubt, will be largely increased in a short time. The continued increase in our school accommodation is most substantial proof of the growth and spread of the city.

JOHN W. MACKAY.

This world-wide known millionaire arrived by the Mexico to-day from San Francisco, and was the one person who was eagerly looked for by the people on the wharf. Dressed in a gray travelling suit and soft brown felt hat, he sat on the steamer's rail as she neared the wharf and few were conscious as they gazed on that conspicuous personage, that he represented a capital of from $100,000,000 to $200,000,000. Before he left the wharf, however, everyone knew that it was John W. Mackay. He is stopping at the Driard and goes east via. the C. P. R. to-morrow morning. Mr. R. V. Dey also of Virginia City, accompanies the modern Croesus in his journey.

FROM THE BEHRING SEA.

The City of Santiago, of San Francisco, with 1,700 skins, and the Teresa, of Victoria, with 2,000 skins, arrived on Sunday from the Behring Sea.

The Silver Handy, of San Francisco, and the Grace, of Victoria, each with about 1,700 pelts, came in on Saturday.

The Teresa spoke the Mary Ellen on the 11th of August in Behring Sea. There are but two Victoria schooners, the Hayward and the Mary Ellen, with the exception of those named, now to arrive.

LATER.—The Mary Ellen and the Hayward arrived this afternoon.

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THE BOOM TOWN.

During the notorious Manitoba "boom" Portage la Prairie was a favorite shop with speculators, land sharks and "cappers." While but a village in point of population property was forced up to figures such as would be demanded for the most eligible properties in either Toronto, Hamilton or London. Speculators were forced into the civic offices and the interest of schemers were indulged in. Contrary to the laws of nature it was determined upon to direct trade and traffic from natural to unnatural channels—but without success. The town is now declared to be irretrievably bankrupt. It was incorporated in 1881. The assessed value of all the property in it was then $848,000. In the early part of 1882, when the boom was at its height, the assessment rose to seven millions. At that time land in the business streets was valued at from $100 to $250 per foot, and everywhere prices were relatively as high. A debt of $260,000 then seemed trifling. In 1883 the assessment was $3,702,868. In 1884 it was $2,308,191, and for 1885 it was $938,565. The assessment for 1885 is said to have been above the real value, as there has since been a decline.

So far as situation and position for a town is concerned Portage la Prairie had many advantages, for it was situated in the heart of the most fertile district of Manitoba. Farmers in the neighborhood who cling to the avocation of tilling the soil are reported to be in comfortable circumstances. The reverse, however, is the position of the town and many of its business houses. We are now informed that the debt of the same amounts to some $260,000, on which there are arrears of interest to the amount of $50,000 or $60,000. The Council offered to the creditors the issue of new bonds for $200,000, paying interest at 3½ per cent. for the first six years, 4 per cent for nine years following, and 5 per cent. for fifteen years thereafter, the bonds being payable in thirty years. These terms being rejected the Council resigned.

The fact is that a big debt recklessly incurred now weighs like an incubus upon the town, and is pressing it to the ground. This condition of things is injurious, not only to the one town immediately concerned, but must injure the credit of Manitoba and the Northwest to some extent. At the same time, it furnishes a wholesome warning to towns and cities elsewhere to beware of running too heavily in debt.

A SWINDLING POWER.

The *Week* observes there may be some ground for the report that in consequence of the infraction of the Treaty of Berlin by Russia, in closing Batoum, Lord SALISBURY immediately on assuming office took the important step of notifying Russia of the withdrawal of the Afghan Boundary Commission. The Premier, it is said, made it plain that he saw no advantage in prolonging negotiations, while Russia claimed the right to repudiate agreements at its individual convenience. Earl DUFFERIN, it is added, has been informed of the contents of this dispatch, and he may be prepared for the attack that may come from the north—a danger, however, which we think very remote, as far as respects India at any rate. This action of Lord SALISBURY's is a fitting rebuke to the dishonest diplomacy of Russia; it were mere folly to enter into any further agreement with a power seemingly with no higher aspiration than to swindle its way in the world. The rebuff has doubtless caused anger at St. Petersburg; and perhaps the Czar, smarting under the reproach conveyed of bad faith, may further commit himself; but it is not England that should most shrink from war. To war the debate between the two countries must probably come, sooner or later; unless a social and political upheaval in Russia should intervene, which would most effectually remove this great menace to the peace of the world by destroying the existing autocratic government. The great body of the Russian people are eminently peaceable; and perhaps a sharp conflict between Russia and England would confer a blessing on the world, by shaking to wreck the autocratic system of government, and burying beneath the ruins the corrupt, but small, classes who cause all this disturbance, and whom the outside world erroneously takes to be all Russia.

STATISTICAL INFORMATION.

THE Montreal *Gazette* observes that complaints has many times been made with reason of the absence of a comprehensive digest of statistics relating to the material condition of Canada. This lack has been supplied in party by local publications emanating from boards of trade of the principal cities, and occasionally has been more fully covered by official and private publications suggested by the want of a moment. But it has remained for the present Minister of Agriculture to initiate a permanent record of statistics relating to every phase of the material condition of Canada, and thus to fill a gap in the official literature of the country that ought long since to have been closed. The book which has just been issued, as the preface informs us, is intended to furnish information respecting the government, population, finances, commerce and general statistics of the Dominion, and to form an authentic reference book for all persons interested in such matters. The work is not a pretentious one. It is mainly a compilation from official sources of information already made public; and derives its value from the convenience it affords to every one desirous of acquiring knowledge as to any particular branch of the trade of the country. It has an especial value in that the information it affords is of the most recent date, many of the tables extending beyond the time of the last previous official publications. The subjects dealt with are sufficiently numerous and comprehensive, viz:—Legislation, population, finance, trade, railways and canals, post offices and telegraphs, criminal statistics, immigration, marine and fisheries, militia, arts and agriculture, Dominion lands, banking, insurance, mortuary statistics, and loan companies. The mere mention of this list will convey an adequate idea of the scope and value of the publication, the want of which has been so long felt, and the usefullness of which will be at once appreciated. Mr. Carling is employing in a most practical way the opportunities his position as Minister of Agriculture and Statistic affords.

COMMON SENSE OF IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

In a recent issue the London *Spectator* thus concludes an able article on the above subject:

There would be no paper-union in a fleet to which, at the thunder of the first cannon, contributory navies might pour from every quarter of the globe. From Australia and the Cape, from New Zealand and the islands of the Southern Sea, and from the Canadian ports that hold with either hand the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, succour of attack or of defence might come at need. Every island, every settlement, however small—might have its quota, if but the tiniest of gunboats, to contribute,—tiny contributions from some, mighty help from others, making together a force such as the world has never seen—invincible, nay, unapproachable by even the navies of the world allied. Not less splendid, nor less impressive, though at present much more visionary, is the idea of a commercial union by which the wealth and resources of every continent and every climate should be as freely exchanged across the Pacific as across the Thames, and by which the looms of Lancashire should supply the citizens of Melbourne as unchallenged as they do the citizens of London. The vision of a tide of prosperity so mighty and so beneficial as that which might thus flow and reflow on the shores of the British Empire, is no mere materialistic ideal, for with the flood of commerce would not fail to flow the flood of fellowship and love. Of course, we are fully aware that all these ties would be voluntary, none of them compulsory, and that the commercial union, at least, is probably far distant. But still the vision of an invincible and federated fleet, and of all men who own the sway of the Queen selling to and buying of each other without let or hindrance, may have a distant accomplishment; nor could any political cynic dare to call it crazy or unreasonable to place such a goal before the eyes of the English race.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

THE largest ironclad afloat in the British navy is the Inflexible with 11,880 tons displacement 8,010 horse power, and armor 16 to 24 inches thick; but the Trafalgar and Nile, now on the stocks, have 11,940 tons displacement, 12,000 horse power, and armor throughout 20 inches thick.

THE Customs' department has issued a circular, pointing to the necessity of enforcing the law which governs the traffic with foreign ports. Goods cannot legally be imported except in a vessel duly registered and having on board a certificate of registration. The department has great reason to believe, from the numerous seizures recently made, that great laxity exists, in this respect, on the part of collectors and other officers, whose duty it is to see the law enforced. It is believed, too, that foreign vessels, without any legal right, sometimes do a coasting trade.

Attempts have before now been made to utilize the water power of the falls of Niagara, but for some reason they have not been very successful. The new Manchester, which the imagination of its projectors called into being, is far from being the scene of busy industry which he painted it. Now, a company has been formed with a capital of $3,000,000, for the purpose of making a great hydraulic tunnel, a mile and a half long, on the American side, at a distance of about 400 feet from the river. Enough power will be obtained to set in motion 230 miles of 500 horsepower each. In cheapness, it will be difficult to compete with this power. The company has already secured a fair proportion of the land necessary to carry on its operations. By the proposed utilization of this force, the great altar of nature will be left intact and not be defaced nor deformed.

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No. 135.

A BYLAW

For Raising the Sum of $50,000 for the Improvement of Streets and Sidewalks and the Rebuilding of James Bay Bridge.

Whereas it is necessary that the condition of the streets should be improved, the dilapidated sidewalks renewed, and the present unsafe bridge across James Bay replaced by a substantial structure;

And whereas the estimated cost of the said improvements and works is $50,000, which sum it is proposed to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said city as hereinafter mentioned;

And whereas it will require the sum of $2944 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon;

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said city, according to the last revised Assessment Roll, is $5,178,800;

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-16 of one cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act, 1881;

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation;

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $50,000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said city for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sum of money as may be required, either in currency or sterling money, not less than $500 or the sterling equivalent, each; and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the day hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interests.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 1-13 of one cent in the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates be assessed, raised, levied, and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said city during the said term of fifty years, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price or prices as shall in each case be mutually agreed; and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled; and no reissue of debentures or any debenture shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This by-law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act, 1881, and shall take effect on the 1st day of October, 1886.

8. This by-law may be cited as the Street and Bridge Loan By-law, 1886.

Passed the Municipal Council the 11th day of August, A. D. 1886.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 24th day of August, A. D. 1886.

Reconsidered and finally passed by the Council the 25th day of August, A. D. 1886.

JAMES FELL,
Mayor.

{L. S.} JAMES D. ROBINSON,
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No. 134.

A BYLAW

To Enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to Raise the Sum of $75,000 for Water Works purposes.

Whereas it is expedient to raise a further sum of money for the purpose of extending the Water Works, constructing Reservoirs to ensure a more certain and equable supply of water to all parts of the city, for carrying on the said Water Works upon such a scale as may be necessary to furnish an adequate supply of fresh water to the largely increased and increasing population of the city, for the greater protection of the city against fire, and for other purposes in connection with the said Water Works.

And whereas, for the purposes aforesaid, it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said city the sum of $75,000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $5267 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised assessment roll is $5,178,800.

And whereas for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipality Act, 1881 an annual special rate of 1-10 one cent in the dollar will be required.

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole, the sum of $75,000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or sterling money not less than $500, or the sterling equivalent of that sum, each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in thirty years from the day hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office

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Water Works Bylaw—Continued.

of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date thereof which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 1-13 of one cent in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation, from time to time, to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price as to all in each case be mutually agreed; and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no reissue of debentures or any debenture shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This Bylaw shall take effect on the 1st day of October, 1886.

8. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Water Works Loan Bylaw, 1886.

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of August, A. D. 1886.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 24th day of August, A. D. 1886.

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Land Applications.

Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 215 acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, situated as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner post of Thomas Ellis' land at head of Dog Lake; thence north along eastern line of said land 15 chains to surveyed lire; thence east to Indian Reserve 14 chains; thence south along Indian Reserve line 16 chains to point of commencement, containing 15 acres.

ALSO—Commencing from northwest corner of Thomas Ellis' land of Dog Lake thence 20 chains west to Okanagan river; thence about 40 chains north along river bank to Thomas Ellis' Land; thence 40 chains south to point of commencement, containing about 40 acres.

ALSO—Commencing from post at foot of rock on south side of Thomas Ellis' land on Dog lake; thence south 80 chains; thence west 20 chains to Dog lake; thence north along lake shore to chains thence east 20 chains to place of commencement, containing 160 acres.

JOHN TRUTCH.
August 7th 1886. aug 7-law 2mo.

Notice

I HEREBY give notice that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of unsurveyed land situate on the Kootenay River, and described as follows:

Commencing at a post marked A, situate on flat, west side Kootenay River and opposite mouth of Wild Horse Creek; thence north 40 chains to stake B; thence west 34.50 chains to stake C; thence following river 40 chains southerly to stake D; thence west 42 chains to point of commencement.

JNO. T. GALBRAITH.
July 29th, 1886. aug 6-law 2mo

Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, in Osoyoos Division of Yale District; situated as follows: Commencing at a post A 200 yards south of Sheep Creek; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to shore of Okanagan Lake; thence along the shore of Lake northerly 80 chains; thence east to port of commencement 60 chains; containing four hundred acres.

Also—Commencing from post A, above seven mile Creek, south 80 chains to corner post of Tlos Ellis land thence west 20 chains to Okanagan Lake; thence north 80 chains along Lake shore thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing two hundred and forty acres. G. CAMERALE

Penticton B.C., July 31 st 1886. aug-law-2 mo

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate on Campbell River, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the south side of said river marked by a square tree; thence true south 80 chains; thence true west 40 chains; thence true north to Campbell River 80 chains; and thence along said river 60 chains to the point of commencement.

M. KING.
Victoria, B.C., July 10, 1886. july14 2m law

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situate at Otter Cove, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a square post set at the N. E. corner; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; and thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
Nanaimo, B.C., July 27, 1886. july27 law 2m

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres more or less, situated in the Homalko river valley, Coast District British Columbia and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the right bank of the west slough of the Homalko river from which running west forty chains; thence north forty chains; thence east to the right bank of said slough; thence south along the right bank of the slough to the place of beginning.

R. A. SMITH
July 12th 1886. jy 12 law 2mo

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of Land, situate in Sayward District, 2¼ miles north of Elk Bay, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake 20 chains from the beach; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES KING.
Nanaimo, B. C. July 27, 1886. july27 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase four hundred and eighty acres, more or less, situated in the Campbell River Valley, Sayward District, British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake about ten chains west of the South Fork of Campbell River and about forty chains south of the main Campbell river; from which running west eighty chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains; thence north eighty chains to the place of beginning.

S. R. SYKES.
July 2 1886. july12 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and sixty acres more or less situated in the Homalko river valley, Coast District British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the right bank of the West slough of the Homalko river it being the northeast corner of R. A. Smith's claim from which running west forty chains, thence north sixty-eight chains, thence east to the right bank of the slough, thence south along the right bank of the slough to the place of beginning.

S. R. SYKES.
July 12th, 1886. jy12-law-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and forty acres more or less, situated in the Southgate river valley, Coast District British Columbia and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the left bank of the southgate river, from which running south forty chains; thence west sixty chains; thence north to the left bank of river; thence east along the left bank of said river to the place of beginning.

A. R. SKOWE
July 12th 1886 jy-12 law-2mo

Notice.

IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of pastoral land, described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the north side of Hot Spring Creek; thence north 80 chains following the Western boundary of J. T. Galbraith's Hot Spring claim; thence west 40 chains, down south side of Cold Spring Creek; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to place of beginning.

M. L. GALBRAITH.
August 1st, 1886. aug11 2m law

Notice.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island containing 50 acres, more or less, situate in New Westminster District, described as follows: Situated near Nelson Island, near the entrance to Blind Bay.

WM. JAMESON.
August 11, 1886. aug13 law 2m

Notice.

DURING MY ABSENCE my son, AARON LEWIS, who holds my Power of Attorney has full authority to transact all business and collect and pay all debts.

LEWIS LEWIS.
August 25. aug25 1m

Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.

F. MURPHY,
Admiral Saloon.
October 3rd, 1885 o4tf

The Daily Times.

Victoria, Monday, Sept. 13, 1886.

WOMAN AND HOME.

REPLY TO A JOURNALIST'S CRITICISM OF THE FAIR SEX.

Amusements for Little Convalescents—A Creole Mother's Advice—Woman's Individuality—Different Ways of Growing Old—Titled Englishmen—Home Hints.

A man down in Hartford, who probably introduces himself as "a journalist," is terribly and pitiably ignorant of this fact. He sprouted forth the other day in quite a harangue of which this is a portion:

"This apartment of the household will be found an interesting locality by those young ladies of the present time who are devoting themselves to novelties. While it is true that the rolling pin, in red plush disguise, has ventured into the parlor, it does not signify that it is all there is of interest in the kitchen from which it came. There are several articles of usefulness in a well regulated kitchen to which our young ladies should be introduced, before their 'cards are filled.' A cotillon with a cooking range for a partner, a pan of biscuit and joint of beef in the set, would prove most enjoyable; a waltz around the floor with a mop handle, mop on train, would bring the roses to the cheek; a schottische in a washboard de soap bubble party would be 'awfully good;' while a polka mazurka with vegetable dinner accompaniment would place the laurel crown of usefulness firmly upon the brow of the wives of the generation just stepping across the threshold. An exploring expedition to search for the kitchen should be formed in each house about 6:30 a. m."

Now this is all very well for a man that likes that sort of thing, but in words like unto his own, "It won't wash." It is not gallant, to say the least, and worse than that, it is not honest. I would like to ask the man a few questions, first, of course, stipulating that he drop all old habits and tell the truth. I'd like to ask him if he ever took a full quarter's sessions in dancing these same schottisches and waltzes and cotillons and polkas. If he had personally enjoyed what he asserts to be so enjoyable, if he had ever in this same way brought roses to his cheek; if he had proved for himself that such amusements were "awfully good;" if he had ever, of his own accord, taken similar exploring expeditions at 6:30 a. m.

I would like to ask him if he would think it truly reasonable of any desirable young woman to refuse the offer of his protection and loyalty and general allegiance unless he could prove that it was his daily habit, as well as his desire, to always black his own boots, to keep the ashes from accumulating in front of the furnace door, to shave himself, to do up his own laundry bundle, to walk invariably to his office and to always be ahead of his mother's request to see about spring doors and awnings. I'd like his bold assertion that nothing pleased him so much as to spend the hour from 6 to 7 a. m. in bending a back over an empty stomach pulling weeds in the front walk, raking the rubbish from beside the carriage house, or better yet, currycombing Billy the horse.

I'd like to know if he were equally as ready to obey his father's lightest law and save the old gentleman as many steps as his sister or the girl that he has in mind, when he so severely maligns the sex, is to obey and serve her mother.

With one more question I think I'd be willing to let him go, on condition he'd never say such a thing again. I'd like to ask him what kind of a young woman, and above all what kind of an old one, are his especial admiration—whether he likes best of all the girls whose finger nails are broken off by contact with that same aforesaid "mop on train;" who has felons from pulling clinkers from out the grate; who gets all hot and red faced from scrubbing and doing dishes, and all "smelly" from cooking; whether he admires most the old lady with hand like horn, knotty and twisted with years of labor; with tired old feet that can hardly bear her slender weight; deep drawn eyes that look as if they had seen the sun rise from the woodshed door for the last sixty years, except on the days when she was too sick to be able to go out through the wet grass and pick up chips to cook the 7 o'clock breakfast by. Whether he likes best such pictures to dwell upon, or whether those that please him best are, after all, the girl whose finger tips are pink and whose nails are bright, who comes down rosy and laughing to breakfast at the same time he does, and who is as fresh as a rose all the day long, and the snowy haired old lady, with kind, happy eyes and light hands and softly stepping old feet, who has seen a few of life's pretty things and enjoyed them right well, and can now give to others the pleasures that others have given to her.

What do you suppose would be the substance of this poor, foolish fellow's confession could we once get him into the proposed palace of truth, with every door shut? If he were like most men he'd own up like a man that he was simply trying to be funny at the expense of his mother, his sister, his wife and women in general.—"F. B. M." in New York Graphic.

Amusements for Little Convalescents.

Very often the convalescence of children is retarded by a depressing ennui. Little children have not the mental resources nor the philosophy of grown-up invalids, and if too young or too weak to read, it goes hard with the patient—and with the nurse, too—if he must lie still all day, sighing and moaning: "Oh, I wish I could get up"—"Oh, dear, I am so tired of this old bed,"—"Oh, when can I go down stairs!" and all the fretful lamentations familiar to mothers and nurses.

As it takes one's ingenuity to amuse and pacify these little patients, I will mention two or three things I did for my boy when he was recovering from diphtheria, hoping the experience may be of use to some other mother. Of course, I soon exhausted stories, and the mild play with such toys as weak little hands can manage, and the old cry of "Oh, mamma, what can I do?" set in again.

The walls of the sick room were of bare plaster—as all sick-room walls should be, for a coat of lime makes them all fresh and pure again—and when my weary child sighed, among his many sighs, for "something new in the room to look at, I bethought me of a roll of pictures saved from a year's numbers of a London illustrated newspaper. These I brought into the sick room and pinned all about the walls. The effect was very enlivening. The room seemed suddenly enlarged—as if it all at once opened out upon all the quarters of the globe. There were broad landscapes and wild marine scenes, battlefields, Christmas firesides, noble portraits of horses and dogs, brave generals and fair women, pretty groups of children and tumbling waterfalls. The small invalid was delighted. Then I brought him a long, light stick—a piece of inch moulding, it happened to be—with which he could point at the different pictures while he asked as many questions as he liked. This stick was an inspiration. It was like having arms six feet long, and the boy had great fun "visiting all around the world" with it, as he expressed it. As long as he staid in bed the first demand in the morning was, "Give me my poke-stick, mamma." As I had to be out of the room a good deal, I fixed a call-bell on the foot of the bed, and we arranged a code of signals that proved quite entertaining. Three taps on the bell with the "poke-stick meant a drink of water; four taps, a clean handkerchief; six taps meant "I am hungry;" eight taps, "What time is it?" and twelve taps signified that the pillows needed shaking up and the bed straightened generally. After a while I attached to the stick a bit of string with a bent pin attached, scattered some old toys about the floor, and the invalid had a grand season of "fishing." It was amusing to see how shy some of the fish were, and what a time it was before they would consent to bite. And then the excitement of landing them in the bed—which was now a boat, of course—was immense.

I am sure these little beguilements helped on my boy's recovery, for they kept his spirits in a cheerful condition, and cheerfulness is a very helpful medicine.—E. H. Leland in American Agriculturist.

Advice From a Creole Mother.

A Picayune reporter has been permitted to copy for publication the following rules:

Encourage strict confidence with your husband; withhold nothing from him, and be patient in hearing all he would confide to you, that he may always fly to you as his counselor and best friend.

Be punctual to a second in all engagements with your husband, and he will be the same with you, and in thus doing you will avoid much that is unpleasant. A failure in this important though apparently trifling matter frequently leads to great unhappiness. It is to be essentially regarded.

Practice economy in taking care of what you have, keeping a strict account of what you spend, buying nothing but what you pay for immediately, and making your account of each month's expenses show you have more than you have spent. Be your husband's cashier, and surprise him at the year's end by a sum laid away for investment. He will deem you a good repository and make you the complete sharer of his business affairs. This is a great way to win a man's respect, to make him feel he has a little savings bank upon which he can rely in time of sickness or financial difficulty.

Rule only by love. If you find a vacant place in your heart, a yearning for something greater, try and try each day to probe the cause. First look within and see if the cause in some way be not with yourself. Strive to call out the best feelings of your husband's nature with continual loving attentions, which, though they may be small in themselves, make such a strong chain around his heart in time that he cannot turn carelessly aside from you. Show him your heart, without foolish pride—it is all his—and let him know you need all of his encouragement and affection to be all you desire to him. This rule, well attended in the commencement of married life, marks most always a perfect union.

Go out always with your husband, but manage to make home so attractive that he finds no place so dear.

Dress better for your husband than for any one else. Take a pride in his appearance, that he may judge your heart by his own. Never allow him to see you slatternly attired. Even be tasty in a kitchen dress or looking pretty over a biscuit board. A woman often is as charming in a working suit, if she understands the art and necessity for being so.

Take pains in this.

Be strong in your determination never to gossip, to harshly criticise. Keep a strict guard over your tongue when you would speak unkindly of another. This is ennobling to character and will elevate husband and wife. Nothing men so much despise as gossip; nothing makes a woman rise so much in a good man's estimation as to see her charitable, particularly with her own sex. "For large charity does never soil, but only whitens soft white hands." Seek to elevate your husband's heart, you will keep his respect as well as affection.

Strict temperance must be the order of your home. Set a good example to all; exclude even wine from your table, never taking the social glass in your hand; be your husband's strong guide, his guardian angel.

Put down your book when your husband enters the room, and interest yourself in whatever pleases him, seeking also to bring him over to your tastes. Try for mutual concession, else you may travel different roads.

Never bother your husband about the servants. Cast aside disagreeable topics when he returns from business. Give your orders to your servants kindly, but firmly, exacting obedience, yet showing them the encouragement of consideration whenever it is in your power. Never keep late hours. Rise early, that your household be not disorganized.—New Orleans Picayune.

Different Methods of Growing Old.

A proverb in the Talmud says: "An old woman is a pearl in the family, but the house trembleth before an old man." This has a meaning deeper than appears on the surface. A weighty secret is wrapped up in that proverb—the secret of eternal youth. The old woman is a pearl because she is helpful, useful and agreeable. She takes an interest in every one's welfare, and lends a friendly hand to the plans and projects of all. She doesn't allow herself to lose her hold on the affairs of life. She is still an active factor in the household.

The old man takes precisely the opposite trend. Not always, but more often than does the old woman. He grows selfish and surly, thinks only of his own comfort, growls when any one makes a noise, and on every possible occasion verifies the proverb by making the house tremble. The difference between their methods of growing old is directly due to this: The woman never gets old in thought, and the man does. Her activity of mind keeps off the foe old age, while the old man actually invites him to come on and take possession, and he accordingly comes.—Gertrude Garrison in Boston Globe.

An English College for Girls.

The Holloway college is a magnificent institution, but the idea is fantastical. Fancy 250 girls, all under exclusively feminine training and teaching, each with a separate bed room and sitting room, besides a conversation room for every six, and a refectory, library, lecture rooms and picture gallery! No male is to be allowed on the premises. The service in the chapel is to be Christian, but not associated with any church or sect. There is an altar under a canopy of carved oak, and organ and stalled seats. The site is noble—high, airy, spacious—with extensive shrubberies and terrace gardens.

The late Professor Holloway sold pills and a harmless ointment, with which he recommended persons to anoint themselves. These he pushed by means of advertisement. The college was nothing but a gigantic advertisement.—London Truth.

Public Sentiment Rare in France.

Public sentiment! There's the rub! It is a rarity in France. There can be, on occasion, plenty of public fury, as when, in the old days, they kept the guillotine busy chopping heads; and plenty of public effervescent enthusiasm, as when, nowadays, with much parading of military and burning of gunpowder, they celebrate their 14th of July; but of calm, sustained, effective public sentiment there is dearth. Look at the atrocious way in which, in plain public sight, these "cabbies" belabor their horses. I have often seen—it is a common thing to see—a cabman in a crowded thoroughfare steadily for a distance of 100 yards pound away with the butt end of his whip upon the bare back of his nag, as though he were bent upon reducing it to a jelly; and not a passer-by, not even a policeman, pay the slightest ostensible heed—much less remonstrate or interfere.

Oh, yes; they have their Paris Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; but there must be a screw loose somewhere in it seeing that it fails utterly to prevent. Brutal car drivers, and to spare, we have unquestionably at home. But there public sentiment compels them to reserve the practical application of their brutality for the seclusion of the stable.—Paris Cor. Cleveland Leader.

Saw the Thashing-Machine.

A little city maiden, on a visit to her uncle's farm, saw a thrashing machine in operation for the first time. "Oh, mamma!" cried she, rushing into the house all out of breath, "there's something out in Uncle Joe's barn with two horses in it, and they keep going and going, and never get anywhere."—Harper's Bazar.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

WHEREAS, pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the estate of William Turgoose in a cause Sadler and Turgoose against Sandover, the creditors of the said William Turgoose were required to send in their claims to the Registrar of this Honorable Court on or before the 15th day of June last past: And whereas in the opinion of the Court it is desirable that further time should be given for a final adjudication upon claims against the said estate. Therefore pursuant to a further order in the matter of the said estate and in the said action, the creditors (who have not already filed their claims) of William Turgoose, late of South Saanich, who died on the 22nd day of January, 1885, are, on or before the 25th day of September, 1886 to send by post prepaid, to Charles Wilson, the Solicitor for the Plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claim, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of this Honourable Court, at his office, James Bay, Victoria, on Monday, the 27th day of September, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated the 20th day of August, 1886.

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THROUGH TIME TABLE

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Reg'd down		STATIONS.		Reg'd up.
2.00		Lv VICTORIA Ar		10.30
13.00	0	Lv. Port Moody Arr.	446	12.00
13.32	12	Hammond	434	11.28
13.54	20	Wentock	426	11.06
14.21	30	Mission	416	10.39
14.48	40	Nicomen	406	10.12
15.12	49	Harrison	397	9.47
15.38	58	Agassiz	388	9.22
16.05	8	Ruby Creek	376	8.25
16.27	76	Hope	370	8.33
17.05	90	De Yale ... De	356	7.55
17.15				7.45
17.37	102	Spuzzum	344	7.03
18.50	117	Ar North Bend De		6.10
19.40		De Ar	329	6.00
19.57	128	Keefers	318	5.20
20.14	138	Cisco	308	4.40
20.39	144	Lytton	302	4.29
21.31	160	Drynock	286	3.37
21.52	166	Spence's Bridge	280	3.16
22.02	170	Spatsum	276	2.56
22.22	183	Ashcroft	263	1.43
24.15	207	Pennyn	239	24.55
24.25	213	Savonas	233	24.35
1.13	224	Cherry Creek	222	23.37
1.00	230	Tranquille	216	23.37
2.00	238 Ar	Kamloops De	208	23.10
2.10	238 De	Kamloops Arr	208	23.00
2.56	255	Ducks	191	22.06
3.26	271	Shuswap	174	21.24
4.28	287	Notch Hill	157	20.22
4.58	296	Tappen Siding	149	20.00
5.23	304	Salmon Arm	140	19.47
6.14	323	Sicamous	123	18.56
6.57	338	Craigellachie	107	18.15
7.45	350	Griffin Lake	96	17.25
8.25	358	Eagle Pass	88	16.50
9.10	Arr	Revelstoke Dep		16.05
9.25	367 De		79	16.00
10.10	378	Twin Butte	68	15.00
11.05	388	Albert Canyon	58	14.15
11.40	395	Illecillewaet	51	13.40
12.05	404	Ross Peak Siding	42	12.55
12.15	Arr	Glac'r Hst'e De		11.57
12.28	410 De		35	11.42
13.40	412	Rogers Pass	33	11.20
14.13	419	Beat Creek	27	10.37
14.56	426	Six Mile Creek	17	10.07
15.18	434	Beaver	12	9.45
16.00	446 Ar	Donald De	0	9.10
19.55		Field		6.20
13.00		Calgary		22.30
11.05		Medicine Hat		14.05
22.05	Lv	Moosejaw Arr		2.00
22.55	Arr	Lv		1.50
24.00		Regina		23.45
11.25		Brandon		13.10
17.10	†Ar	Winnipeg Lv†		9.40
11.45		Port Arthur E		15.10
7.30		St. Paul		19.30
7.00		Chicago		22.35
11.45		New York		16.40
8.20		Boston		19.00
11.10		Brantford		10.50
17.45		London		11.20
13.45		Hamilton		15.10
11.15		Toronto		17.00
4.28		Ottawa		23.45
8.20		Montreal		20.05
14.20		Quebec		14.30

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TIME TABLE NO. 2,

Taking effect July 12, 1886.

Burrard Inlet Route.

VICTORIA TO

Port Moody and Vancouver,
Daily except Monday, at 2 o'clock.
Moodyville and Hastings,
Wednesday and Friday, at 2 o'clock.
Port Moody to Victoria,
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Vancouver to Victoria,
Daily except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA

For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island,
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Plumper Pass,
Friday, at 7 o'clock.
Port Hammond,
Monday at 2 o'clock, Friday at 7 o'clock.
Leaves Port Hammond for Victoria,
Monday at 15 o'clock,
Friday at 10 o'clock.
Leaves New Westminst'r for Victoria,
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass,
Tuesday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Leaves New Westminster for Hope, Chilliwhack, Sumass, and way Landings,
Tuesday and Saturday at 7 o'clock
Leaves Hope for New Westminster and way Places
Monday and Wednesday at 8 o'clock.
Leaves Chilliwhack, 8 o'clock.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

Steamers leave by Standard Time, which is 15 minutes faster than Victoria time.

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TIME TABLE.

Commencing Monday, Aug. 2, 1886.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

Leaves Victoria at	5.45 a.m.
Arrives at Townsend at	10.00 a.m.
Leaves Townsend at	10.20 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	2.30 p.m.
Leaves Seattle at	2.45 p.m.
Arrives at Tacoma at	3.45 p.m.

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

Leaves St. Paul at	4.00 p.m.
Leaves Helena at	6.15 p.m.
Leaves Wallula at	10.50 p.m.
Arrives at Portland at	10.30 a.m.
Leaves Portland at	11.00 a.m.
Leaves Tacoma at	4.00 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	5.15 a.m.
Leaves Seattle at	7.00 a.m.
Arrives at Townsend at	11.00 a.m.
Leaves Townsend at	11.30 a.m.
Arrives at Victoria at	3.20 p.m.

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City of Peking	Oct 26, 2 p.m.
City of Sydney	Nov 23, 2 p.m.
City of Rio de Janeiro	Dec 21, p.m.
City of New York	Dec 28, 1 p.m.

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PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Monday, Sept. 13, 1886.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT

—Fifty Chinamen left the city this morning for the hop fields of the Puyallup valley.

—Fidelity Hams and Bacon are the best in the market, at NEUFELDER & ROSS.

—The steamer Hope arrived in with a tow of logs last night for Sayward's mill.

—Cacao Chouao, Benedictine, Chartreuse, Parfait Amour, veritable liqueurs at Neufelder & Ross'.

—Ice cream in quantities to suit, delivered in any part of the city by Young Bros., New England Bakery.

—The St. Andrew's and Caledonia Societies have chartered the steamer "Yosemite" for a moonlight excursion on Thursday evening.

—DENTISTRY:—W. J. Quinlan, D. D. S., has removed to the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. West, over Denny's store, Victoria Block.

—The first twins which have made their appearance in Vancouver since its incorporation were born on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Longhede are the happy parents.

—There are between 6,000 and 7,000 cases of Fraser river and Skeena river salmon at the outer wharf ready for shipment to San Francisco on the next down trip of the Mexico.

—Mr. R. Irving, agent for the Northern Pacific, will now be found in his new office on Government street, two doors north of the P. O.

—The North Pacific took 3,050 cases of salmon down to Tacoma to-day for shipment to the east over the Northern Pacific railway. The N. P., it will be observed, has not quit business in Victoria.

—The Electric and Blue-Mottled Soaps turned out by Pendray & Co. are absolutely pure—will wash the finest fabrics without damaging them or burning the hands. Try them.

—Mrs. E. J. Miller receives pupils in oil painting, drawing, crayon and decorative work. Room 19, Bank of British Columbia building, Government St.

—John Johnson was arraigned to-day at the police court on a charge of assaulting and attempting to rob Thomas Jones on the street. Some evidence was taken and the case was remanded for a day.

—A woman recently arrived in Portland, Or., from Ontario whose entire wealth consisted of ten children, the eldest ten years of age. There were two sets of twins, one set of triplets and three singles.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver.

—Auctioneer Clarke on Saturday night, for Captain Clarke, of Port Moody, disposed of 14 lots by auction, at figures ranging from $50 to $80 for full sized lots, 66x132 feet. Several were purchased by parties who purpose building.

—The thing can't be done—and there is no use of looking for, or expecting to get as good a line of Laundry Soaps, TOILET SOAPS, Shaving Soap, as PENDRAY & Co. have on hand and are turning out at their factory on Humboldt street.

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References.

—The Minnie Hauk Concert and Opera Co. will give two performances only in the city, Sept. 27th and 28th. Change of programme each evening. Reserved seats now on sale at Waitt's book store, at $1.50 each. No money taken at the door.

—The R. P. Rithet, from the Fraser yesterday, brought down 2,000 cases of salmon from Deas Island, consigned to Findlay, Durham & Brodie; 2,000 cases from Ewen & Co., consigned to Robert Ward & Co.; 4,000 cases from Laidlaw & Co., consigned to Welch, Rithet & Co.

—Wilson Bros., of the Vancouver foundry, have turned out two iron columns, 22 feet long, 18 inches in diameter, three-fourths of an inch in thickness. They are for the New Westminster gasometer, and are the largest castings of the kind ever made in the province.

—Captain Lewis, agent of marine and fisheries, and Mr. D. C. Nicholas, acting inspector of steamboats, who inquired into the recent explosion on board the Queen of the Pacific at Nanaimo, have rendered their decision, which is, in effect, that the explosion was caused by the ignition of coal dust, but in what manner there was not sufficient evidence to show.

—No extensive advertiser transacts his business without the assistance of an advertising agency. Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell & Co., No. 10 Spruce street, New York, have the largest establishment of this kind in the world. They issue the "American Newspaper Directory," a volume of 1,800 pages, and send free a large pamphlet containing much general information.

—"Except the Lord keep the city, the watchman walketh but in vain," is the motto Mayor Howland, of Toronto, has caused to be blazoned in blue and gold in a conspicuous place in his office in the Toronto City Hall. Mayor Fell should imitate the example set by Mayor Howland and erect a motto in the city hall. The legend of the Witch of Endor, beautifully emblazoned by Tiedeman, is suggested as an appropriate quotation under the circumstances.

—The Vancouver *Herald* has again made its appearance. The second number since its obliteration by the recent fire is now before us. It makes a very creditable appearance, and were it not for its untruthful reference to THE TIMES, anent our remarks on Port Moody's prosperity, we would have every confidence in recommending our contemporary at Vancouver as worthy of confidence. As journalists we aim at chronicling passing events, be they transpiring at Vancouver, Port Moody, or any where else. The editor of THE TIMES is not now, and never was the owner of "hillside" lots at Port Moody, the insinuation of the *Herald* to the contrary notwithstanding. Stick to the truth, for it will prove best in the long run is a motto the ancient as well as the young and somewhat verdant scribes of the *Herald* should adopt, especially so as they are so ready and anxious to impugn the motives of their contemporaries.

So popular are the manufactures of Messrs. Curtis's & Harvey's that unscrupulous persons have imitated their gunpowder *canisters* and *labels* used by the firm for upwards of 50 years. Recent cases in Germany of infringements of their rights in this repect were restrained under heavy penalties.

RETIRING ON HIS LAURELS.

Our genial friend, Mr. M. Hagan of the Inland *Sentinel*, after a journalistic career of close upon half a century, has at last thrown aside the quill and in its stead has resolved to take up the plough share. For six and thirty years Mr. Hagan had been connected with the press of Ontario, in many sections being a pioneer in advance of civilization, in such districts as the oil-producing territory of Western Ontario, the mineral districts west and north of Lake Superior. For the past six years he has published the Inland *Sentinel* in this province, starting first at Emory, when his office was the only building in the place; thence removing to Yale and latterly to Kamloops, where we are pleased to learn Mr. Hagan's lines fell in a pleasant place. The *Sentinel* became the property of Messrs. McCutcheon and Fairbairn on the 1st inst., Mr. Hagan retiring therefrom. It is the purpose of the latter gentleman to engage in fruit culture and stock ranching in the Okanagan district in company with another gentleman. This fall they will set out 400 fruit trees and will continue to make additions yearly. Mr. Hagan is well acquainted with the interior districts tributary to Kamloops, over a considerable portion of which he has travelled in person. He reports the country as settling up fast; that all the available land is being located on, and that in a few years a very large population will be found in the province east of the Cascade mountains. Mr. Hagan will remain in the city a few days enjoying a well earned holliday.

STILL PLAIN MR. SMITH.

An eye witness of the event states that last Saturday when the western train was coming into Winnipeg two half-breeds were standing on the platform idly watching the bustle caused by its arrival: but when Sir Donald A. Smith alighted their manner underwent a change; him they had known in the old days when as Hudson's Bay commissioner he was constantly brought into contact with them, and after hesitating a few minutes they went timidly up to him. Sir Donald recognizing them shook hands cordially.

"You big man now?" asked one of them.

"Oh, no," was the reply, "I am still plain Donald Smith."

THE ISLAND RAILWAY.

This morning Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Government Engineer and Inspector of Railways, accompanied by Hon. J. W. Trutch, Messrs. R. Dunsmuir, President of the company, and Joseph Hunter, engineer-in-chief of the line, Col. Frank Bond, of Montreal, and others, went out on the line on a tour of inspection; preparatory to the work being passed by the government engineer and inspector. It is understood that the line will be opened for traffic in a few weeks, and that in a few days we shall hear and see the iron horse across the harbor. The intention of the management is to run a couple of trains to begin with, one to and from Nanaimo daily, which possibly may be increased to a couple each way.

U WANT

of course U want—Well, what don't U want?

U want to rent a house,
U want a situation,
U want a servant,
U want to sell something,
U want to buy a horse,
U want to find something lost,
U want to rent a room,
U want a book-keeper,
U want to know how to have your wants gratified and we'll tell you.

The DAILY TIMES WANT COLUMN is for that particular purpose, and will accomplish the result you desire.

CONCERT.

After a lull in amateur musical circles for a number of weeks, Professor Sorge comes to the front and announces a grand concert for Thursday evening next at the Victoria. A number of new selections are promised, such as the "Miserere," the Mocking-Bird on the flute by a young lady and other gems which must be seen to be appreciated. Prof. Sorge is proud of his pupils and invites criticism by the press. He wants credit placed where it is due and those not up to the mark to be gently reminded of their deficiency.

The sportsman in purchasing his powder should be specially careful in seeing that he gets from his dealer the GENUINE PACKAGES OF Messrs. Curtis's & Harvey. Very inferior powder is often sold at apparently cheap prices under the name of *DIAMOND GRAIN*, but Messrs. Curtis's & Harvey are the original manufacturers and proprietors of the justly celebrated *DIAMOND GRAIN POWDER*.

OUR SEA CROP.

The steamer Yosemite brought down on Saturday 3,075 cases of salmon, Horse Shoe and Beaver brands, for Messrs. J. H. Todd & Son, for shipment to Eastern Canada via the Northern Pacific. It left this morning by the North Pacific.

Of the above shipment 8 carloads are for Montreal; 6 for Toronto and 1 for London. The demand in Eastern Canada for our canned salmon has greatly increased of late as is evidenced by the large shipments that are going into Ontario and Quebec.

A CALL FROM THE EAST.

The trustees of Spadina Avenue Methodist church, Toronto, have invited Rev. Coverdale Watson, of New Westminster, to accept the pastorate for the coming term. The pastorate is one of the most desirable in the Dominion. Mr. Watson's answer has not been received, but it is not improbable that it will be a favorable one.

STILL LEAKING.

The leak in the water pipes, referred to in these columns a few days ago, has been repaired. The gentleman "who has the interests of the city at heart" informs us that another leak exists about 200 yards further out. An inspection of the mains out as far as the dam might be productive of good.

EXCHEQUER COURT.

Mr. Justice Henry, of the Dominion Supreme Court, was announced to leave Ottawa to-day for this province, to hear exchequer court cases regarding the ownership of mining and railway lands.

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ALL SETTLED.

The Council and Mr. Green, representative of the Sperry Electric Light Company, have settled all their differences, and the balance of the purchase money has been handed over. Mr. Green will leave for Chicago to-morrow morning.

The sporting season is fast approaching when Messrs. Curtis's & Harvey's world-renowned *SPORTING POWDER* will be in large demand. Dealers should secure their supplies in good time from Messrs. ROBERT WARD & Co., the wholesale agents for B. C.

SATURDAY'S FRACAS

Investigated at the Police Court and Dismissed with a Light Fine.

Frederick Green was charged in the police court by Wm. J. McKeon, one of the proprietors of the Oriental, with assault and also with maliciously breaking the dining room door. In the evidence, Mr. McKeon testified that prisoner came into the saloon of the Oriental at 12:30 on Saturday, and began making a disturbance, and asked for liquor which was refused. After the prisoner had drunk a glass of soda water, he continued abusing complainant and was put out and was kicked when going. Coming back again, the prisoner created more disturbance and threatened to give him a few ounces of lead, when McKeon took a cue and struck him several times across the back and put him out. During the *melee*, Mr. Davidson came in and became involved in the scrimmage, striking McKeon twice in the face. Mr. W. H. Tuttle, clerk at the Oriental, corroborated the evidence of Mr. McKeon.

A counter complaint, charging Wm. McKeon with maliciously assaulting Fred Green with a billiard cue, was also entered and investigated at the same time. The court took a lenient view of both cases and dismissed the latter, but fined the red coat $2.50 and costs $4.50.

ANOTHER OF THE SAME.

Alex. Davidson was charged with assaulting Wm. McKeon. The case grew out of, or rather was a part of, the former one. Mr. McKeon said that when he was striking the marine with the cue, Mr. Davidson came in and without any warning whatever struck him twice in the face with his fist. The result a very black eye—was shown in evidence. Davidson had no business there whatever—he puts himself up as a prize-fighter and probably came in to have a fight. An offer had been made to settle the case by paying costs. Mr. W. H. Tuttle also proved the assault.

Mr. Davidson swore that when at Langley's drug store on business, he saw Mr. McKeon ill-using a marine—shamefully ill-treating him, he said—by striking him with a billiard cue. He crossed over and entered the hotel, and when inside saw the defendant again beating the soldier. He ordered him to stop, and was shoved by McKeon and struck with the cue, perhaps accidentally. He struck McKeon once, a "little" blow on the face, but he struck only once. He did not strike him until the complainant had shoved him and ordered him out. He honored a red coat and could not stand to see it abused. In reply to Mr. Fell, he said he was a Scotchman and was proud of it. During his examination witness created considerable merriment. Mr. M. J. Conlin gave corroborative evidence, and the court decided to dismiss the case and allow both parties to pay their own costs. Mr. T. Fell appeared for Mr. McKeon and Mr. C. Wilson for Mr. Davidson.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Lazenby, Mrs. E. C. McKenzie, Miss Brealey, G. B. Ordano, J. P. Walls, J. Cathcart, Dumbleton, Engelhardt, Good, Shaw, were passengers by the steamer Amelia for the east coast this morning.

Mr. Deville, Surveyor-Gen., is coming to British Columbia to conduct the examination of Dominion land surveyors.

Mr. J. W. Horne, a Vancouver speculator, is in Winnipeg. He will endeavor to induce Winnipeg insurance companies to extend their operations to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Thos. Davie has arrived back from Ottawa.

At the Driard: W. J. Murphy, New York; W. E. Stevens, Port Townsend.

Mr. H. B. Royeraft, Superintendent of Provincial Police, has returned from the mainland, where he was called on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Levy, of San Francisco, left for home to-day.

Dr. Treat left for Seattle this morning. He made $150 per day while in Victoria, so it is said.

Mr. L. Jamieson, of Port Discovery, after a pleasant visit to this city left for home this morning.

Attorney-General Davie, after the conclusion of the Sproule argument before the Dominion Supreme Court, left Ottawa on a trip to New York.

Mr. Samuel Maclure has been appointed Acting Inspector of Fisheries during the absence of Mr. Thomas Mowatt on his exploratory cruise of the coast and banks in the neighborhood of the Queen Charlotte Islands, on the Pathfinder.

Mr. Wm. Power, of Moodyville, is in the city.

Mr. F. C. Barker, Balkey, Dublin; P. C. Brown, New York; and Walter B Patton, London, Eng., are at the Driard.

Messrs. R. P. Rithett, C. W. R. Thomson, W. C. Ward and R. Ward, have gone east as far as Donald on a pleasure trip.

Mr. M. Hagan, formerly of the Kamloops *Sentinel*, is at the Clarence.

Mr. Geo. F. Kyle is registered at the Clarence.

O. Figel, J. Halberstadt, San Francisco, Thos. Couch, Winnipeg, are at the Clarence.

Messrs. Harry Hall and Col. Barnard, magnates of the C. B. I. Railway, are in the city.

Still they come, from the home of the blizzard to the land of promise. Says the Winnipeg *Free Press*: Messrs. W. & H. Cargill, who have sold out their ranch at Stonewall, are in the city at the New Douglas, en route for British Columbia, where they will in future reside.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hadden, of Guelph, Ont., arrived in the city on Friday. Mr. Hadden visited the province a year ago, and on returning to the East determined to make Victoria his future home. They came via the Northern Pacific railway and were much pleased with the treatment given them by the officials of that line. Mr. Hadden shipped his effects from London over that line, as the quotations given him were far less than rates offered by the Canadian Pacific. It is Mr. Hadden's intention to embark in business in Victoria. He is a stirring, honest upright energetic gentleman, and a deserving citizen.

Passengers by the Geo. E. Starr: L S Dixon, H W Dixon, W A Dixon, Miss D Dixon, Miss Forrell, A Bernstein, Maurice, G Hughes, J F Jones and wife, F Daniels, J F Stevens, Mrs Rosmeranz, E Dickinson, A B Barwood, Mullen, Jamison, Keogh, T Laing, J Laing, M L Jenkins, Fitzharris, S L Smith, L S Henderson and wife, C Kenedy, J Brennan, D P Mason and wife, Mrs Hughes, J Rollins, J C Church and wife, W H Ronald, H L Hall, Tift, Thompson, J Bromfield, T Delaney, Richards, Johnson, Doc Lawson.

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HOME AGAIN.

Ex-councillor Boyd, president of the St. Andrew's and Caledonia Societies, after an absence of six months, returned from an extended tour to Europe on Saturday night, coming by the lake route and Canadian Pacific Railway. During his absence Mr. Boyd visited the principal cities of Scotland and England, and Paris. He spent two months in Scotland, principally in Glasgow, the place of his nativity, and visited the exhibition in Edinburgh, the Liverpool and the Colonial exhibitions, and the Highland Agricultural Show at Dumfries. As it is twenty-four years since Mr. Boyd left the old country for the new world, it was natural that he should be greatly surprised at the stupendous changes which time had wrought in the appearances of the cities and people. The Colonial exhibition is a marvelous aggregation of the national and industrial products of the empire and is pronounced by Londoners to be the best ever held in the capital. Mr. Boyd was busy to-day shaking hands with his old bilicums, and in answering questions, and all his friends were pleased to see his genial countenance on our streets once more.

THE SARDONYX.

The steamer Beaver returned last night from Gabriola Reef, where the Sardonyx still lies firmly aground. A heavy sea was running and it was found impossible to get a hawser to the Sardonyx, which at high tide lies over at an angle of forty-five degrees. When working her machinery the shaft of the Sardonyx was broken and the screw has fallen off, thus rendering her completely helpless. The Alexander has gone up to make another attempt to float the unfortunate steamer.

ELECTRIC LIGHT ENGINE.

Mr. D. Cartmel, engineer at the navy yard, Esquimalt, to-day examined the new engine constructed to operate the electric light and will give evidence to-morrow before the special committee. Mr. Cartmel pronounces the steam chamber improperly constructed, and says the best thing to do with it is to smash it into small pieces with a sledge hammer.

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